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## APPENDIX I

ARC LIGHT MISSIONS: 18 June 1965-15 November 1965

1. (TS) Guam-based B-52 aircraft flew a total of 1,153 strike sorties and delivered 56,550 750-lb M117 bombs and 162 1,000-lb bombs during the period 18 June 1965-15 November 1965. Each B-52 sortie was supported by a KC-135 tanker.

2. (TS) The number of ARC LIGHT sorties by month is as follows:

18-30 June . . . . .	30
July . . . . .	151
August . . . . .	177
September . . . . .	327
October . . . . .	297
1-15 November . . . . .	<u>171</u>
	1,153

3. (TS) As of 15 November 1965 no aircraft participating in the ARC LIGHT program have been lost as a result of enemy action; however, 2 B-52 aircraft were lost on the initial strike as a result of a mid-air collision. The dollar value of 2 B-52 aircraft is approximately 19.6 million dollars.

4. (U) The background of the ARC LIGHT program is presented in TAB A and a detailed mission summary is presented in TAB B.

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